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700 North Street P. O. Box 136, Jackson, MS 39205-0136 ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES NOTICE FILING TELEPHONE NUMBER CONTACT PERSON (601) 987-1270 AGENCY NAME Timothy Smith, Esq. Mississippi Department of Public Safety 7IP STATE СПҮ 39205 MS ADDRESS Jackson 1900 E. Woodrow Wilson Avenue, P. O. Box 958 Name or number of rule(s): SUBMIT Compilation of Title 31 Public Safety Part 503 Crime Lab Declaratory Opinions **EMAIL** DATE tsmith@dps.ms.gov 03/11/13 Short explanation of rule/amendment/repeal and reason(s) for proposing rule/amendment/repeal: To update the Mississippi Crime Lab's Declaratory Opinions to conform with current legal requirements Specific legal authority authorizing the promulgation of rule: Miss. Code Ann. §§ 45-1-3, et al. List all rules repealed, amended, or suspended by the proposed rule: None **ORAL PROCEEDING:** An oral proceeding is scheduled for this rule on Date: ____ Time: ____ Place: ____ Presently, an oral proceeding is not scheduled on this rule. If an oral proceeding is not scheduled, an oral proceeding must be held if a written request for an oral proceeding is submitted by a political subdivision, an agency or ten (10) or more persons. The written request should be submitted to the agency contact person at the above address within twenty (20) days after the filing of this notice of proposed rule adoption and should include the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the person(s) making the request; and, if you are an agent or attorney, the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the party or parties you represent. At any time within the twenty-five (25) day public comment period, written submissions including arguments, data, and views on the proposed rule/amendment/repeal may be submitted to the filing agency. ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT: Concise summary of economic impact statement attached. oxtimes Economic impact statement not required for this rule. **FINAL ACTION ON RULES** PROPOSED ACTION ON RULES **TEMPORARY RULES** Date Proposed Rule Filed: ___ Action taken: Action proposed: Adopted with no changes in text Original filing X New rule(s) Renewal of effectiveness Adopted with changes Amendment to existing rule(s) To be in effect in ____ days Adopted by reference Repeal of existing rule(s) Withdrawn Effective date: Adoption by reference Immediately upon filing Repeal adopted as proposed Proposed final effective date: Other (specify): _____ Effective date: X 30 days after filing 30 days after filing Other (specify): _ Other (specify): Printed name and Title of person authorized to file rules. Timothy Smith, Esa. Signature of person authorized to file rules: DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE OFFICIAL FILING STAMP OFFICIAL FILING STAMP OFFICIAL FILING STAMP SECRETARY OF STATE

The entire text of the Proposed Rule including the text of any rule being amended or changed is attached.

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